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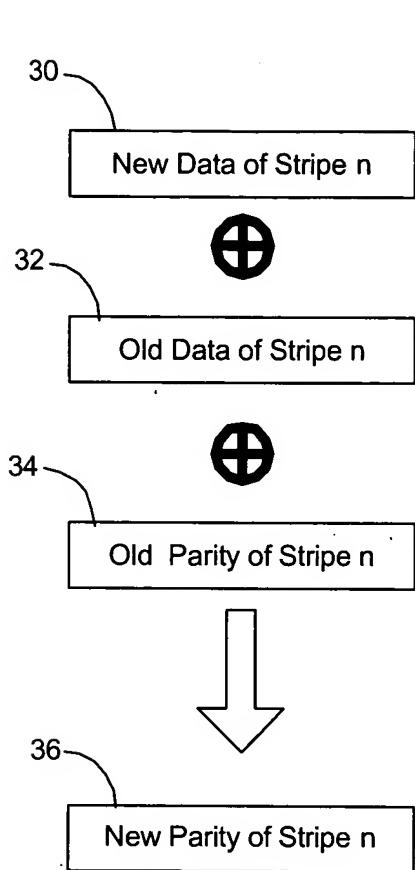


FIG.1
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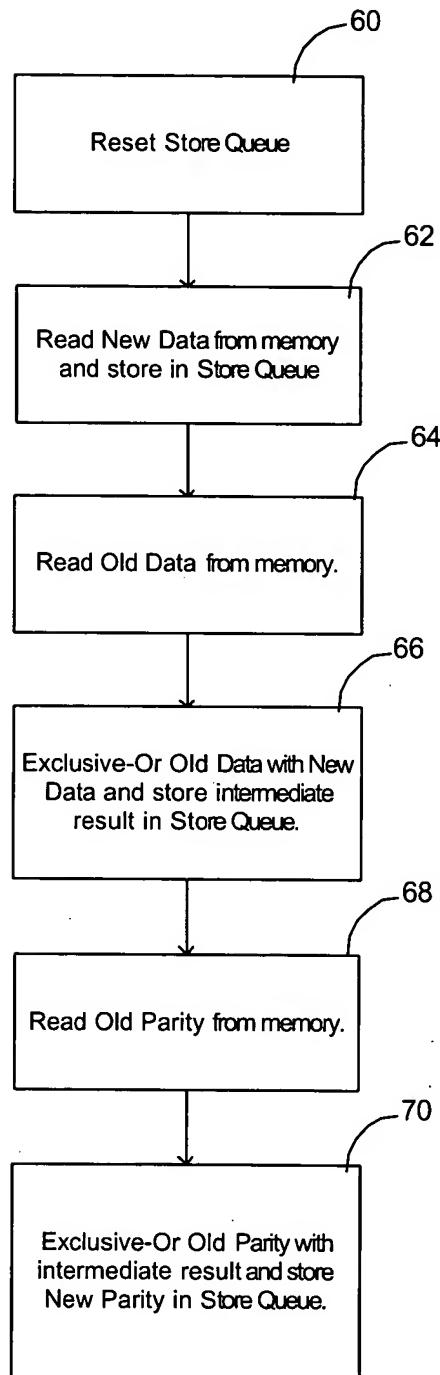


FIG. 3
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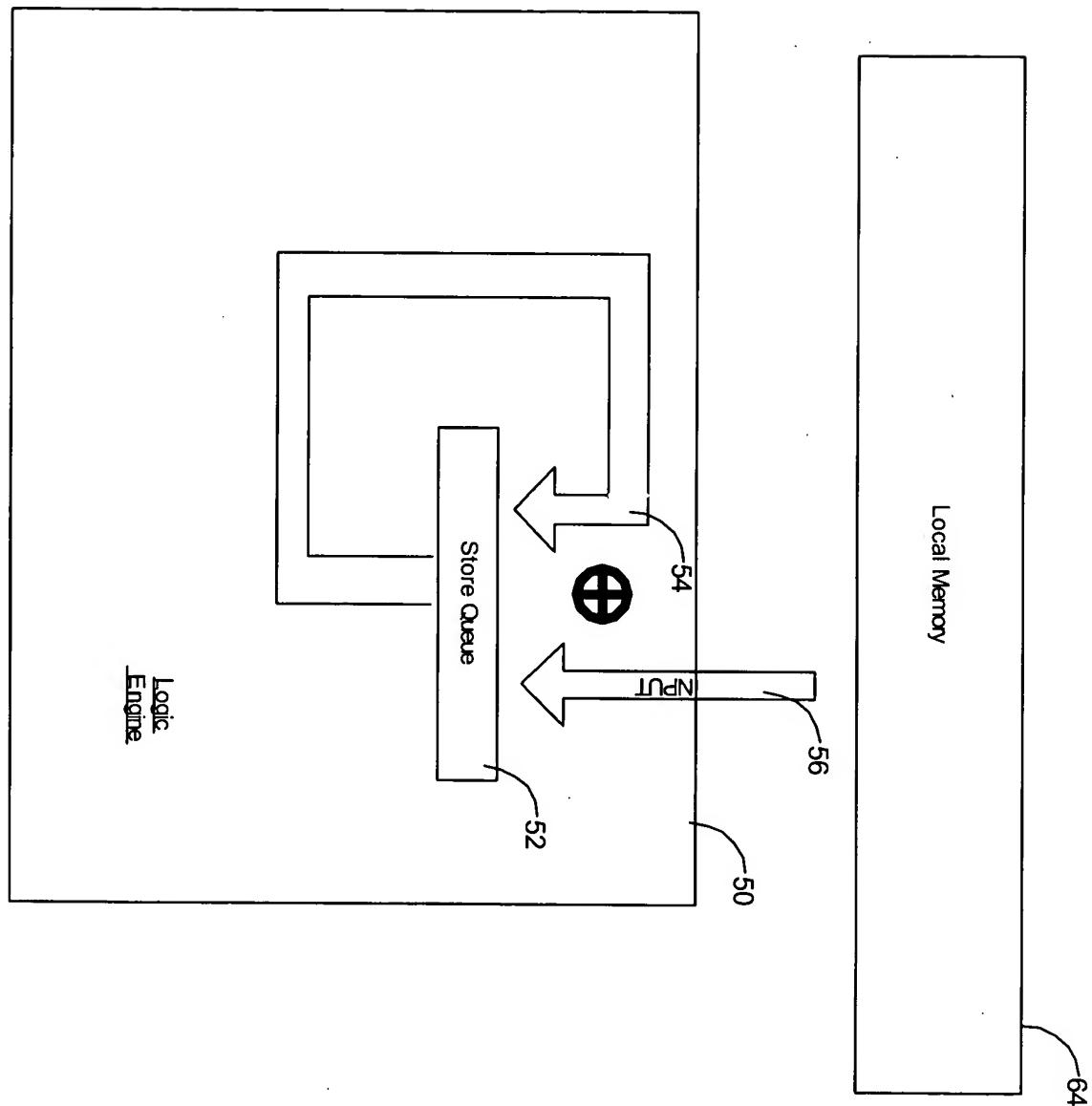
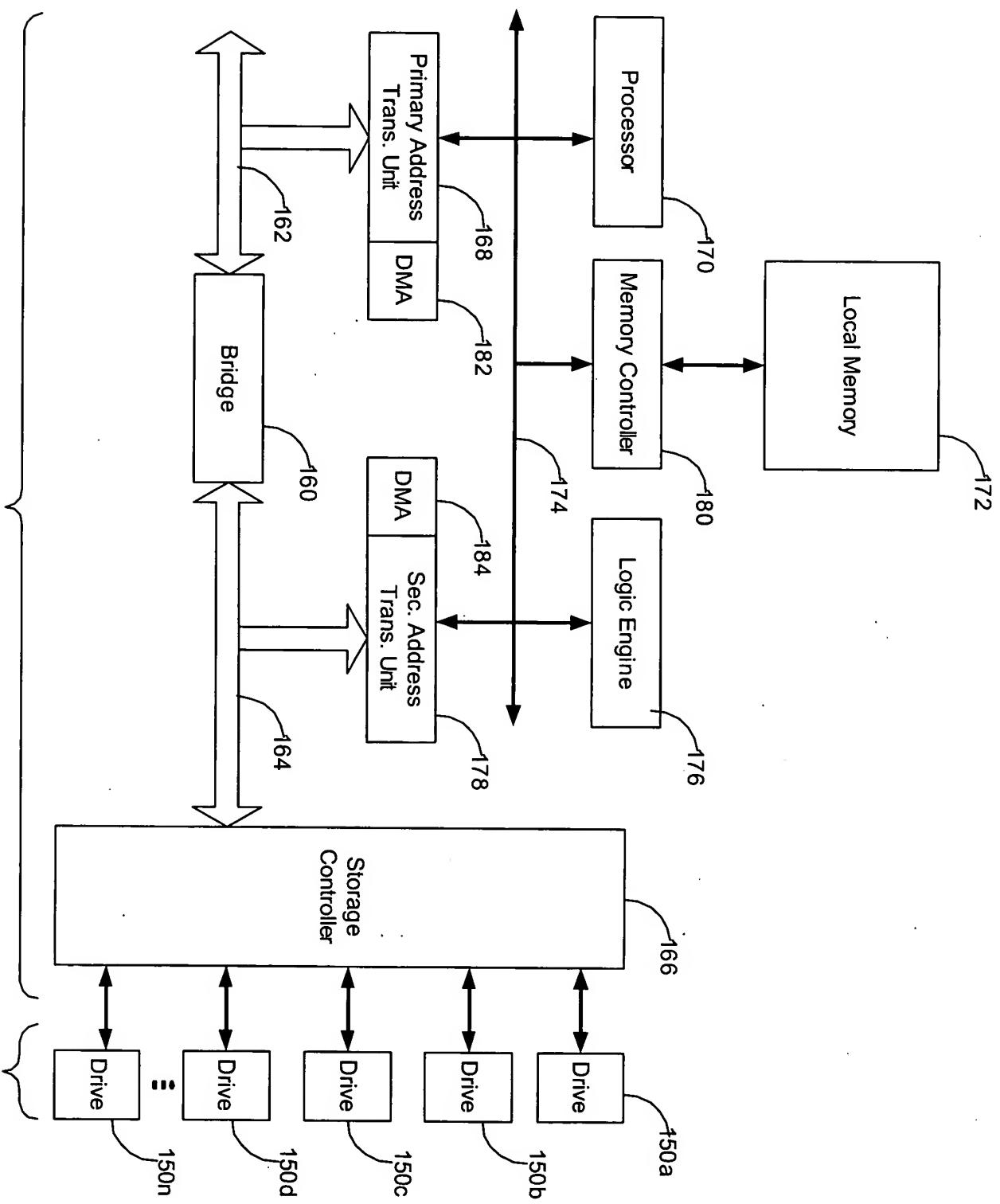


FIG. 2
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FIG. 5

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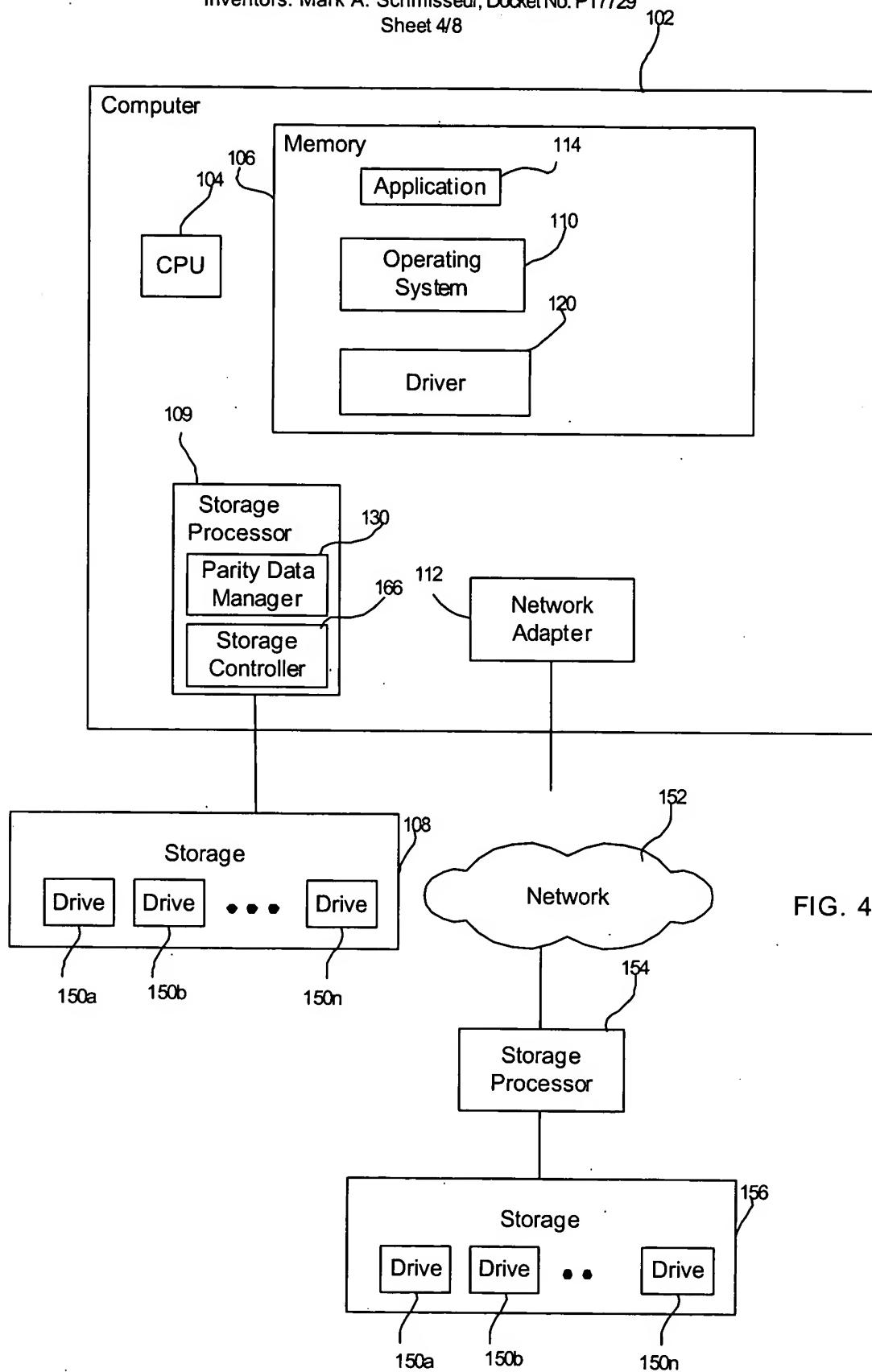
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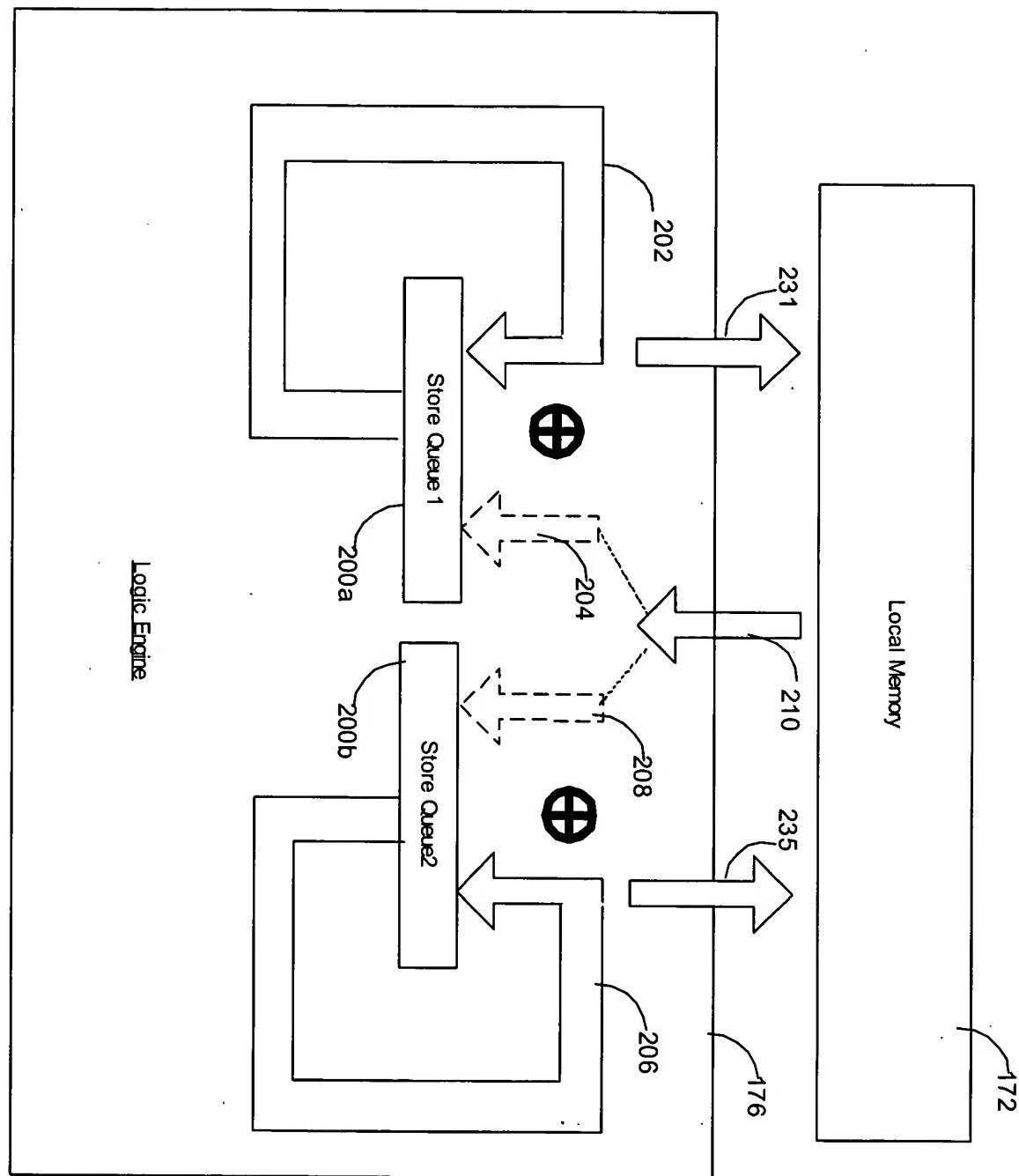
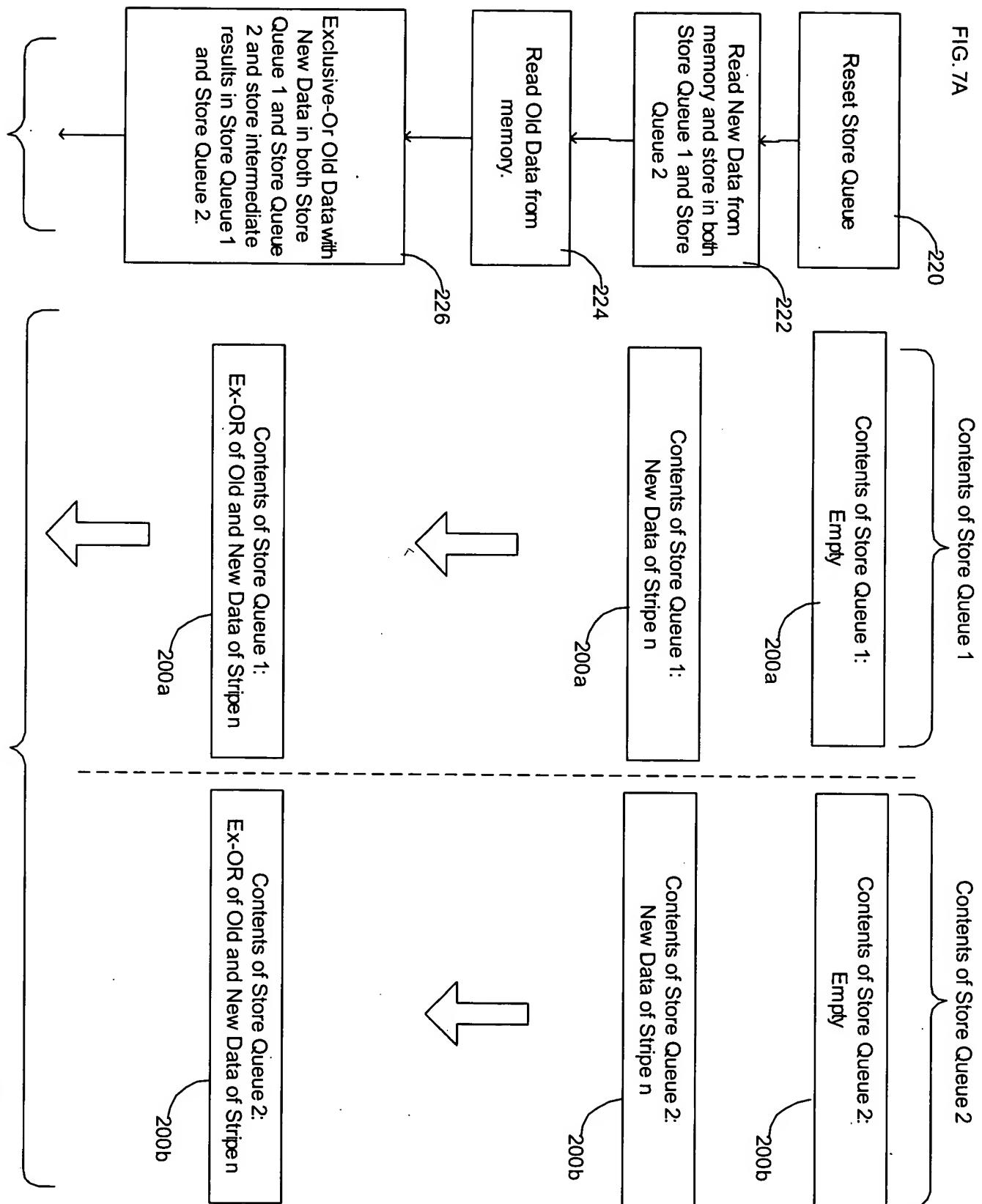


FIG. 6

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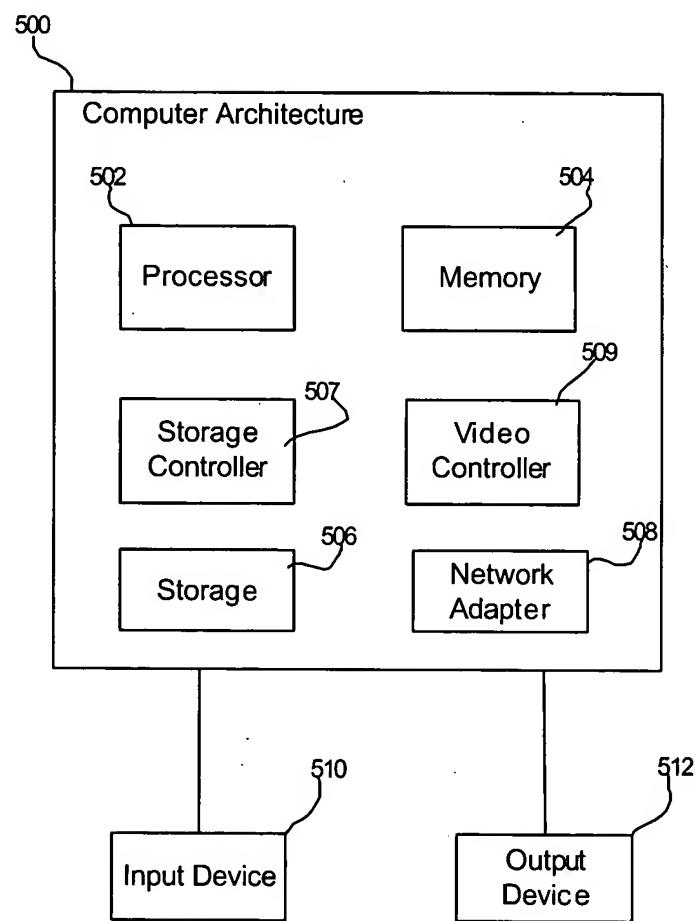
FIG. 7A



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FIG. 9



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FIG. 7B

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Contents of Store Queue 1

Contents of Store Queue 2

Read Old Horizontal Parity
from memory.

Exclusive-Or Old
Horizontal Parity with
intermediate result in Store
Queue 1 and store New
Horizontal Parity in Store
Queue 1.

Contents of Store Queue 1:
Ex-OR of Old and New Data and Old
Horizontal Parity of Stripe
Queue 1

Read Old Diagonal Parity
from memory.

Exclusive-Or Old Diagonal
Parity with intermediate
result in Store Queue 2
and store New Diagonal
Parity in Store Queue 2.

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200a

Contents of Store Queue 2:
Ex-OR of Old and New Data and Old
Diagonal Parity of Stripe n

FIG. 8B

200b